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Applicant(s): Stefano COLLOCA

Re: RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF
MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C.
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Attn: Ms. Anita D. Johnson
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Dear Ms. Johnson:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) dated June 11, 2001 (copy enclosed), please find enclosed the following:

1. Declaration/Power signed by inventor Stefano COLLOCA identifying the application by U.S. application number, PCT international application number, and PCT international filing date; and
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Respectfully submitted,



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